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CHANGE OF HOURS ON AND AFTER MONDAY, JAN. 28, 1861. THOS. COLLYER. GEORGE PAGE, leaves Alexandria at 47, 8, 10, 12, 24, 4 and 5? o'clock. Leaves Washington at 61, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5 and 61

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any number of NEGROES, of both sexee, for cash. All letters addressed to us, at this place, will receive prompt attention. Having bought the establishment, lately occupied by Millan & Grigsby, West end Duke street, and having refitted it to make it one of the most healthy and comfortable Depot for NEGROES, we will receive them on board on the usual terms. sug 30-eotf PRICE & COOK.

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any where north of this place.

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We most respectfully request all that can possibly do so to call and settle, thereby saving us the ISH, &c .- Wishing to reduce my stock, I will sell trouble of calling upon them. ASHBY & WOOD. jan 8

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Alexandria at 1.50, P. M. J. M. BROADUS, General Ticket Agent.

NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER Monday next, the freight trains of the Orange and Alexandria Railroad, will leave Alexandria on Monday and Friday only, and return on Tuesday and Saturday. J. F. LATHAM, Agent Transportation,

Orange and Alexandria R. R. Co. NORTHERN CENTRAL BAILWAY.
SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

CHANGE OF HOURS.

ON AND AFTER MAY 27th, 1860, trains will leave Calvert Station: The Mail Train daily (except Sundays) at 8.30 A. M., for Elmira, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, and all parts of Western New York, and Canada. Also, for Pittsburg, Chicago, Cleveland, Cincinnati, St. Louis, and all parts of the West, Northwest and Southwest. For Emmitsburg, Lancaster, Lebanon, Reading and Pottsville, and Owings' Mills, Reisterstown, Manchester, Md., and Westminster, and for Chambersburg and Carlisle, Pa., and for

Hagerstown, Maryland. The Express Train daily at 5.30 P. M. for Buffalo and the North, and Canada, and for Pittsburg | year. This is the advantage resulting from the and all parts of the West and Northwest and Southwest.

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Office, Calvert Station, N. E. corner of Calvert and Franklin streets, Baltimore. JAS. C. CLARKE, Superintendent.

JOHN T. RIGNEY, Assistant Superintendent. J. H. WARNER, Ticket Agent. Baltimore, je 7-tf

MAIL LINE. NEW ARRANGEMENT, MAY 21st, 1860. ALEXANDRIA, LOUDOUN and HAMPSHIRE RAILROAD.

DAILY LINE BETWEEN ALEXANDRIA and WINCHESTER, (Sundays excepted.) Via Fall's Church, Vicana, Pairfax C. H., Hunter. Mill, Thornton, Herndon, Guilford, Farmwell,

LEESBURG, Hamilton, Purcelleville, Saichers wille, Castleman's Ferry, and Beregville, by the Alexandria, Londown and Hampshire Railroad and Means & Faucett's first class Mail Couches. On and after Monday, 21st inst., will leave the Depot at Alexandria, at S, A. M., and arrive at Winchester at 5, P. M. Leave Winchester at 5, A. M., and Leesburg

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To and from Winchester, \$3.25: Berryville, \$3; Leesburg, \$1.50. Intermediate points in proportion. W. BLYTHE, General Superintendent. MANASSAS GAP RAILROAD.

Anna Mariana Cara Maria encouragement of the Southern trade, as we are DASSENGERS for this Road will leave the Alexandria Station, in the Grange Train, at 7, A. M., daily (Sundays excepted,) arrive at Alexandria at 2, P. M. Through tickers by this route ALEXANDRIA, continues to insure against

ceived from the factories and which will be sold low.

to Middleburg and Winchester.

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jy 6-tf EDWARD GREEN, Treasurer. 1860. Spring and Summer Arrangement. 1860. 

ADAMS' EXPRESS COMPANY INVITE the attention of the public to the facili-I ties afforded by this Company, for the quick and safe conveyance of Specie, Bank Notes, valuable packages, heavy and bulky freight, &c. EXPRESSES for the East, to Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Boston, Providence, Hartford, EXPRESSES for the South, to Richmond, Fredericksburg, Petersburg, and for points in North may receive at their Office, No. 11 FAIRFAX Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia, close at STREET. Also, as a Savings' Bank, receives

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jan 1-eotf DWELLING FOR RENT.-The three story BRICK DWELLING, No. 21, South Fairlax street, occupied by the undersigned, is for rent. Possession will be given on the 10th of January, 1861.

I. LOUIS KINZER. dec 21-dif DWELLING FOR RENT.—Intending to remove from the city, I offer for rent my DWELLING HOUSE, No. 121 King street, the house is large and well arranged and is in good order. For terms apply at the house, or to An-

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DER FLASKS, HORSE SHOES, STOVE POLthe above enumerated Goods at greatly reduced prices, to close out. Said goods are of the best quality and very desirable, and all suited to the present season. I have en hand a large lot of Builder's Hard-

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Call and examine my stock, at No. 88 King-st. JOHN T. CREIGHTON. dec 15 MILITARY GLOVES, a very superior article for officers; Colt's Pistols, U. S. Carbines, and Military Stores of all kinds, for sale by jan 21 W. B. RICHARDS, Jr., 110 King-st.

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London Punch Almanac for 1861, 121c. Cornhill Magazine for January, 37c, Once a Week for January, 37c. Eelectic, Harper, Godey, Peterson, Arthur's, Knickerboeker, Leslie's Fashion Book, and all the Magazines for January. Now is the time to

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the Child of the Prairie, by Rose Kennedy. Long's Dime Romances, The Naval Officer, by Lieut. Murray. The People's five cent Novelette's, The Red Shark, or the Pride of the Isles, by Augustus Com-

Comic Monthly for January, 6c. All the Magazines for January, and papers for this week, on hand publishers at prices. Daily Papers .- N. Y. Herald, Baltimore Clipper, Alexandria Gazette, and every thing in the cheap dec 24 Book and Periodical line.

GREAT BARGAINS FOR CASH .-- The 1st of January, 1861, finds me at the old stand, (166 King street.) with more BOOKS, STATION-ARY and VARIETY GOODS, than I have any use for and it would require too much time and take up too much room to give the names.

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and Coast Defence, prepared and arranged by L. V. B., price 50 cts. Just published by J. W. Randolph, Richmond, and for sale by ROBERT BELL. jan 11

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MISCELLANEOUS READING. When Frederika Bremer was in Rome, not ong ago, she visited the Pope and conversed with him. As she left, Pius IX .- she tells us in her recent book-gave her this

"I will tell you something. Pray! pray for light from the Lord, for grace to acknowledge the truth; because this is the only means of attaining to it. Controversy will do no good. In controversy is pride and self-love. People in controversy make a parade of their knowledge, of their acuteness, and, after all, every one continues to hold his own views. Prayer alone gives light and strength for the acquirement of truth and grace. Pray every day; every night before you go to rest; and I hope that grace and ight may be given to you. For God wishes that we should humble ourselves, and he gives his grace to the humble. And now, God bless and keep you for time and eterni-

This pure, priestly and fatherly admonition was so beautifully and fervently expressed that it went to my heart, and humbly and with my heart I pressed the hand paternally extended toward me. That it was the hand of the pope did not embarrass me in the slightest degree; for he was to me really at this moment the representative of the Teacher, who in life and doctrine preached humility, not before men, but before God, and taught mankind to pray to Him. The Pope's words were entirely true and evangelical. I thanked him from my entire heart, and departed more satisfied with him than myself. I had stood before him in my Protestant pride; he had listened with patience, replied with kindness, and finally exhorted me, not with Papal arrogance, but WOLFE'S CELEBRATED SCHIEDAM exhorted me, not with Papal arrogance, but AROMATIC SCHNAPPS should be kept as a true Gospel teacher. I parted from

THE ARAB'S PROOF.

Some years ago, a Frenchman, who like many of his countrymen, had won a high rank among men of science, yet who denied the God who is the author of all science, was crossing the great Sahara in company with an Arab guide. He noticed with a sneer, that at certain times his guide, whatever obstacle might arise, put them all saide and kneeling on the burning sands, called on his

Day after day passed and still the Arab never failed, till at last one evening the philosopher, when he rose from his knees, asked him with a contemptuous smile, "How do you know there is a God?" The guide fixed his burning eye on the

scoffer in wonder, and then said solemnly:

"How do I know there is a God? How did know that a man and not a camel passed ty's Directory for 1861, published by Messrs. sity of Pennsylvania, with original illustrations, medicinal use, the best Wine ever officed for sale | my hut last night in the darkness? Was it not by the print of his foot in the sand?-Even so," and he pointed to the Sun, whose last rays were flashing over the lonely desert, "that foot-print is not that of a man." MOTICE.-Elizabeth L. Jenks, administratrix and widow of William L. Jenks, deceased, complainant, in Alexandria Circuit Court, vs. Harvey Bailey and Sarah E. Bailey his wife, and

> I will stake my reputation as a man, my standaccount of the transactions of the complainant as administra rix of Wm. L. Jenks, deceased; to ascertain the debts of her intestate's estate remaining unpaid, and the real estate of which the said Wm. L. Jenks died seized, together with the annual and fee simple value thereof. COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, January 29, U 1861 .- Notice is hereby given to all parties interested, that on Saturday, the 2d day of March,

Winfield Scott Jenks, defendants. The decree in

this cause directs the Commissioner to take an

1861, at my office, in the city of Alexandria, I shall proceed to execute the decree of which the foregoing is an abstract. Given under my hand the day and year afore-W. C. YEATON. Master in Chancery jan 30-1aw4w

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